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## THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Prior Application: 08/137,745

Examiner: A. Marschel

Art Unit: 1807

## REQUEST FORM FOR FILE WRAPPER **CONTINUING APPLICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.62**

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Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is a request for filing a [x] continuation [] divisional application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.62 of prior Application Serial No. 08/137,745, filed on October 19, 1993, for CHROMOSOME-SPECIFIC STAINING TO DETECT GENETIC REARRANGEMENTS by the

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The above-identified prior application is hereby expressly abandoned as of the filing date of this new application. Please use all the contents of the prior application file wrapper, including the drawings, as the basic papers for the new application. (Note: 37 C.F.R. § 1.60 may be used for applications where the prior application is not to be abandoned.)

It is understood that secrecy under 35 U.S.C. § 122 is hereby waived to the extent that if information or access is available to any one of the applications in the file wrapper of a 37 C.F.R. § 1.62 application, be it either this application or a prior application in the same file wrapper, the Patent and Trademark Office may provide similar information or access to all other applications in the same file wrapper.

1.	[]	Enter the amendment previously filed on	under 37 C.F.R
		§ 1.116, but unentered, in the prior application.	

- 2. [x] A preliminary amendment is enclosed.
- 3. [] \_\_\_\_ verified statement(s) claiming small entity status [] is/are enclosed [] was/were filed in prior Application Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_, filed on
- 4. [x] The filing fee is calculated below on the basis of the claims existing in the prior application as amended at 1 and 2 above:

		CLAIM	S		
	NO. OF CLAIMS		EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Basic Application Fee	<u> </u>				\$ 710.00
Total Claims	20	MINUS 20 =	0	x \$22 =	.00
Independent Claims	1	MINUS 3 =	0	x \$74 =	.00
If multiple dependent cla	aims are present	ed, add \$230.00			
Total Application Fee			710.00		
If small entity status is o	claimed, subtrac	t 50% of Total App	lication Fee		
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5.	[x]	The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in triplicate.
6.	[x]	A check in the amount of \$710.00 is enclosed.
7.	[x]	Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:  -This application is a [x] continuation, [] divisional, of Application Serial
Phor!		No. 08/137,745 , filed October 19, 1993.
8.	[]	Priority of Application Serial No, filed on, in (country) is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119.
		The certified copy of the priority application  [ ] is enclosed  [ ] was filed on in prior Application Serial  No; filed on  [ ] has not yet been filed.
9.	[x]	The prior application is assigned of record to <u>The Regents of the University of California</u> .
10.	[]	Also enclosed
11.	. [x]	The power of attorney in the prior application is to <u>R. Danny Huntington</u> , <u>Reg. No. 27,903</u> .
		a. [] The power appears in the original papers in the prior application. b. [x] Since the power does not appear in the original papers, a copy of the power in the prior application is enclosed. c. [] Recognize as Associate Attorney or Agent d. [x] Address all future communications to: (May only be completed by applicant, or attorney or agent of record.)  R. Danny Huntington Esq. Burns, Doane, Swecker & Mathis The George Mason Building Washington & Prince Streets P.O. Box 1404 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1404  By: A Many Huntington
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